

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Lee HAROLD *et al.*
SERIAL No.: 09/321,743
FILING DATE: May 28, 1999
ART UNIT: 2176
EXAMINER: Rachna Singh
FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR NETWORK USER INTERFACE OLAP REPORT
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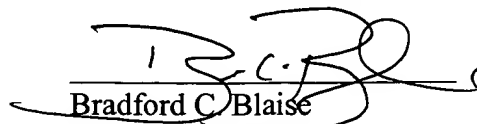
1. Petition for Extension of Time (3 months, in duplicate);
2. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (in duplicate);
3. Request for an Examiner Interview Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.133;
4. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
5. Form PTO-1449 (2 pages) with thirty-seven (37) references attached; and
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Dated: August 18, 2004

Respectfully submitted,



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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.133, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to contact Applicants' below-named representative to schedule a personal interview to discuss the patentability of the above-identified continued application (a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed herewith) prior to issuing an Office Action in this case.

In particular, 37 C.F.R. §1.133(a)(2) provides that an interview to discuss a pending application may occur before the first Office Action if the "application is a continuing or substitute application".

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